

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1.-16. (Cancelled)

17. (Twice Amended) A server apparatus comprising:

an information provider which receives an information signal from a subscriber apparatus, the information signal a) capable of indicating that a program having a title outputted from said server apparatus is provided to a display terminal in said subscriber apparatus without being recorded; and b) capable of indicating that said program having said title and outputted from said server apparatus is recorded in said subscriber apparatus;

a subscriber mode recognizer which discriminates between said program having said title being provided to the display terminal without being recorded and being provided to the recorder based on the information signal;

a charger which charges a different amount among a) in the case that said program having said title is provided to said display terminal without being recorded and b) in the case that said program having said title is provided to said recorder, based on the recognition of said subscriber mode recognizer.

18. (Twice Amended) A server apparatus according to claim 17,

wherein said charger charges a larger amount when the output signal is provided to said recorder than to said display terminal without being recorded.

19. (New) A server apparatus according to claim 17, wherein said program is other than a shortened version of said program which is sent to the display terminal for a lower charged amount than said program being sent to the display terminal without being shortened.